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SUBJ: GOB REQUIREMENT THAT US FIRMS CONFORM WITH USG SOCIAL

SECURITY REGULATIONS

- 1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED A LETTER FROM THE SOCIETE NATIONALE DES CHEMINS DE FER BELGES (SNCB) QUOTING A GOB REGULATION REQUIRING THAT FIRMS OUTSIDE BELGIUM SUBMITTING BIDS OR OFFERS IN BELGIUM ATTACH TO THE BID OR OFFER AN ATTESTATION THAT THE FIRM IS IN CONFORMITY WITH THE SOCIAL SECURITY LEGISLATION IN ITS HOME COUNTRY.
- 2. SNCB COMPLAINS THAT IT HAS HAD DIFFICULTY IN OBTAINING COMPLIANCE BY US FIRMS WITH THIS REGULATION. IT ASKS THE EMBASSY UNDER WHAT FORM IT SHOULD REQUEST THE REQUIRED ATTESTATION AND TO WHAT US AGENCY FIRMS SHOULD MAKE A REQUEST FOR THE REQUIRED ATTESTATION.
- 3. ACTION REQUIRED: WE WOULD APPRECIATE A TELEGRAPHIC RESPONSE TO THESE QUESTIONS SO THAT WE MAY RESPOND TO SNCB. DE TARR

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